

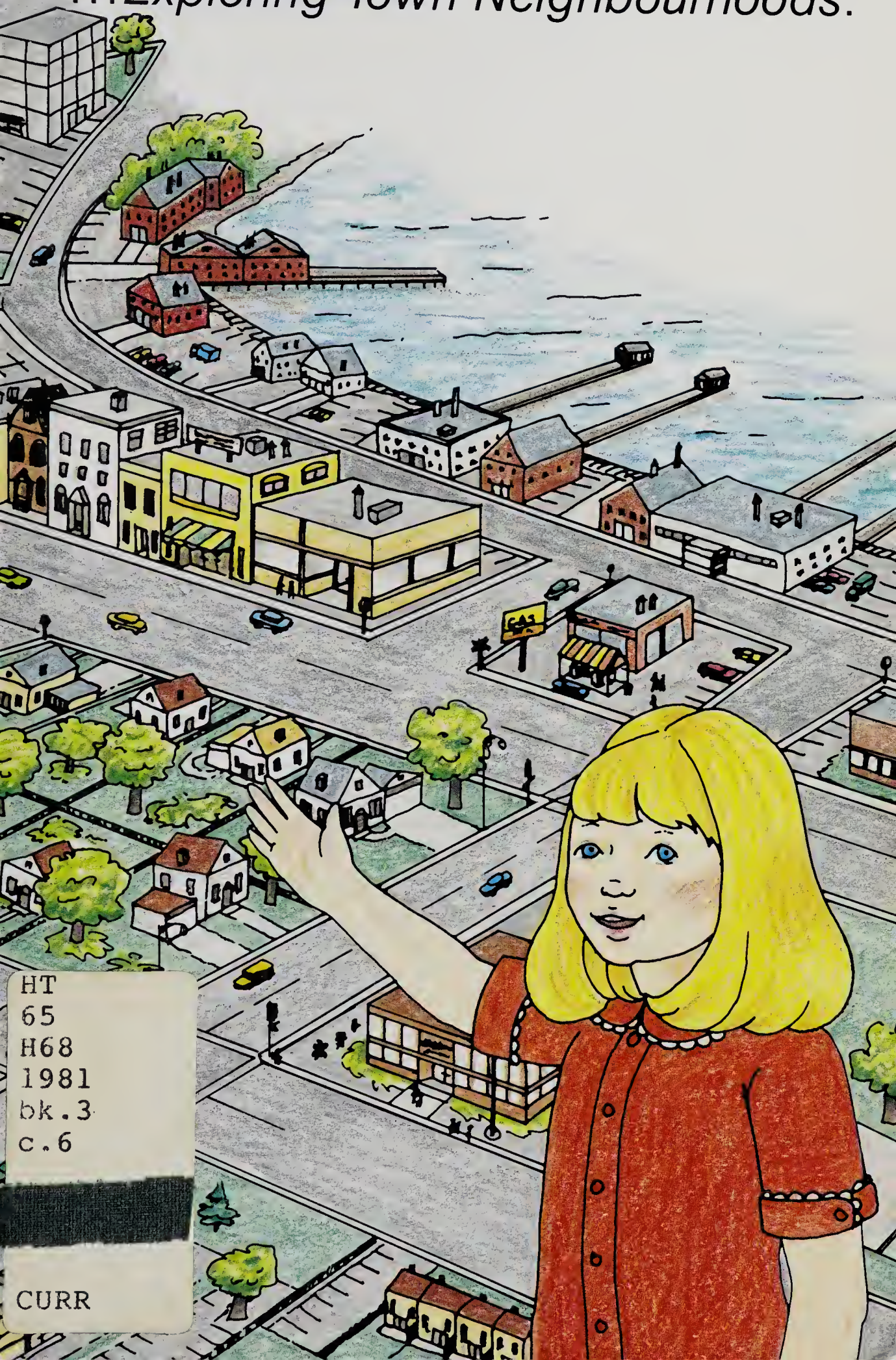
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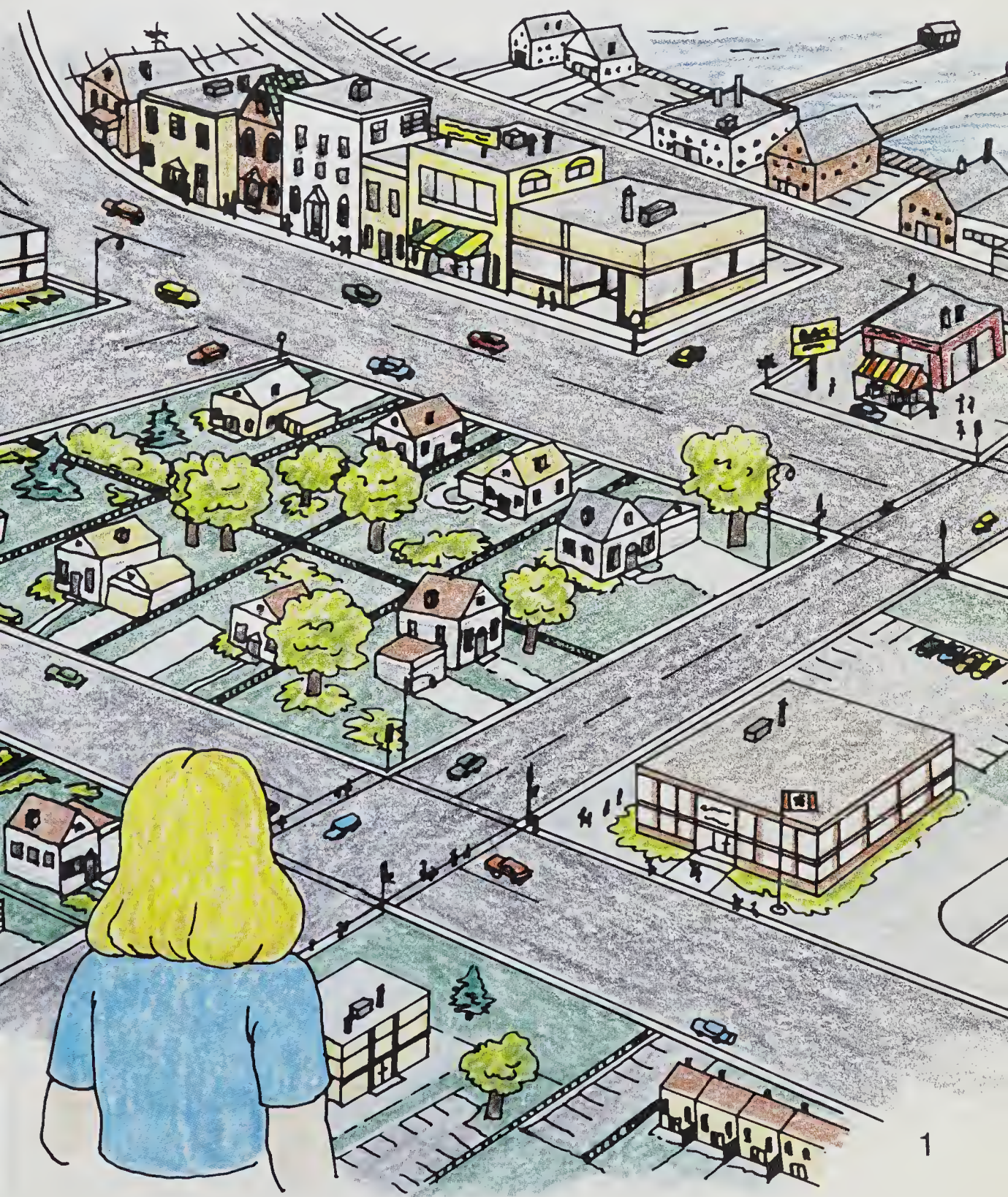
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Canadians live in different neighbourhoods.  
Some Canadians live in town neighbourhoods.  
Towns can have many neighbourhoods.

What do you know about this kind of  
neighbourhood?



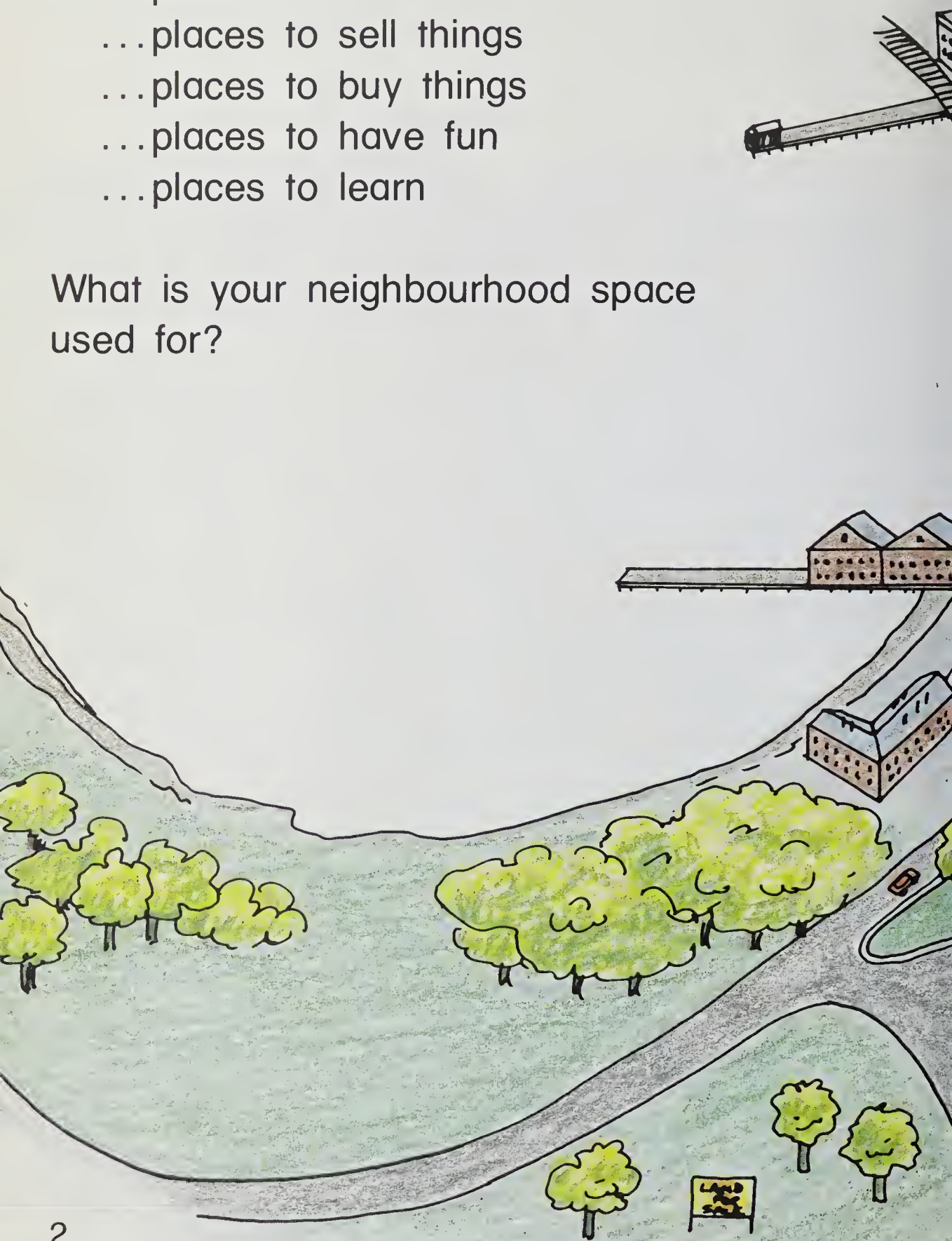


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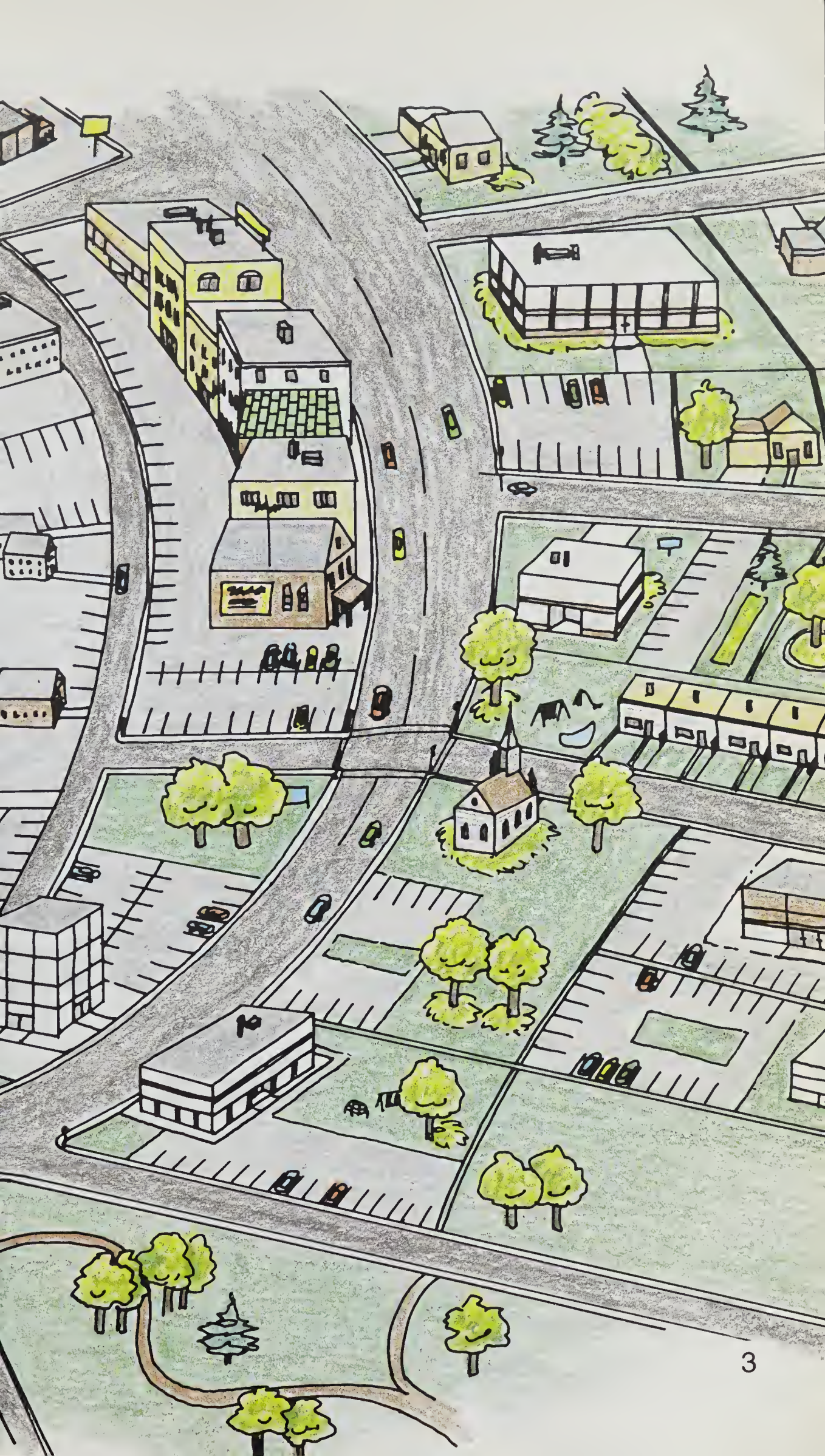
Space is used in town neighbourhoods in different ways. It might be used for

- ...places to live
- ...places to sell things
- ...places to buy things
- ...places to have fun
- ...places to learn

What is your neighbourhood space used for?



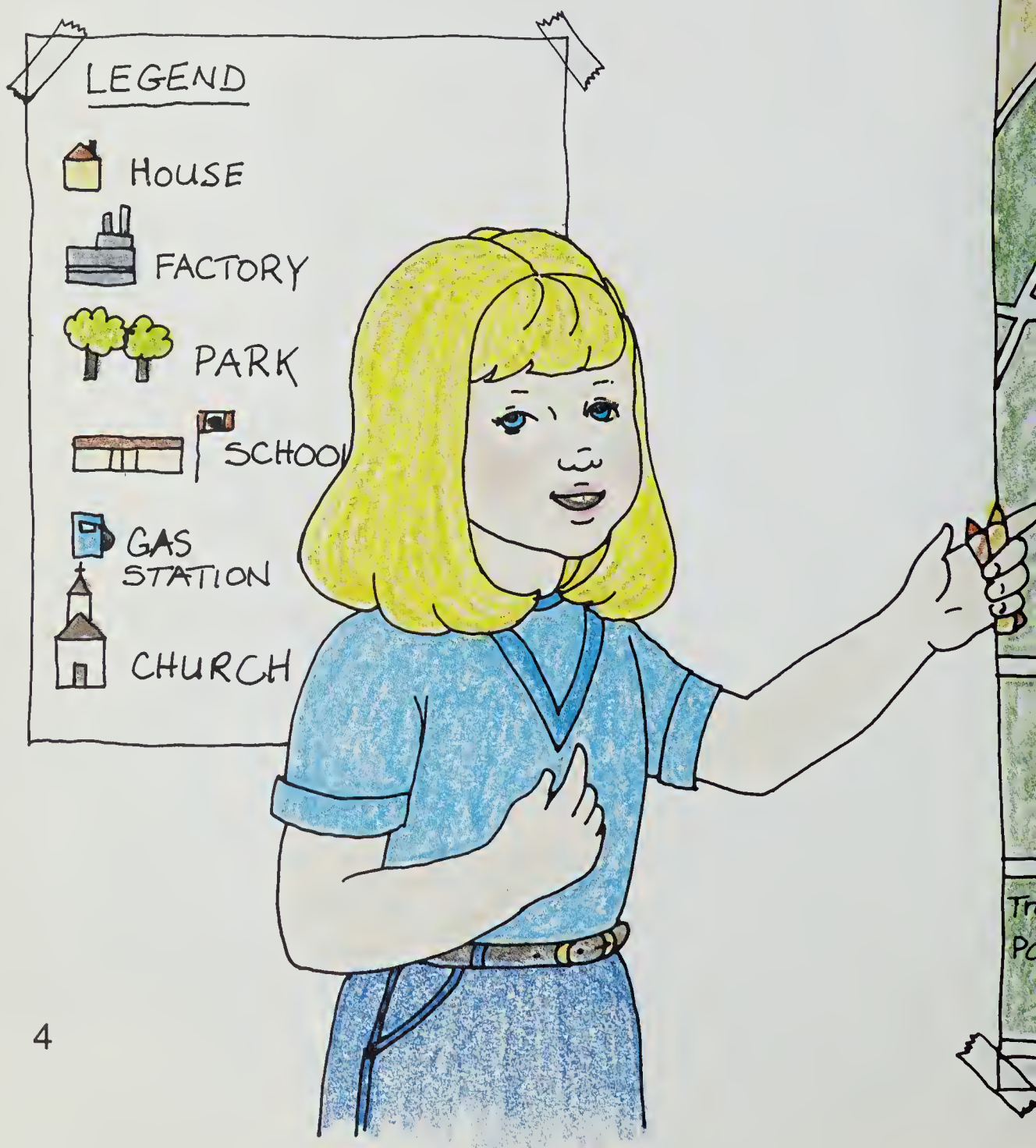






“My name is Nina. My neighbourhood is in a town. My family knows everyone in town. It’s a nice place to live.”

What can the map tell you about these neighbourhoods?









## HOMES

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“This is my house. It’s a bungalow. There are lots of bungalows in my neighbourhood. One of my friends lives in a different neighbourhood. She lives in a trailer park. Another friend of mine lives above the hardware store. He’s in an apartment. There’s a special home for people like my grandma and grandpa. That’s down by the park.”

What kinds of homes are there in your neighbourhood?







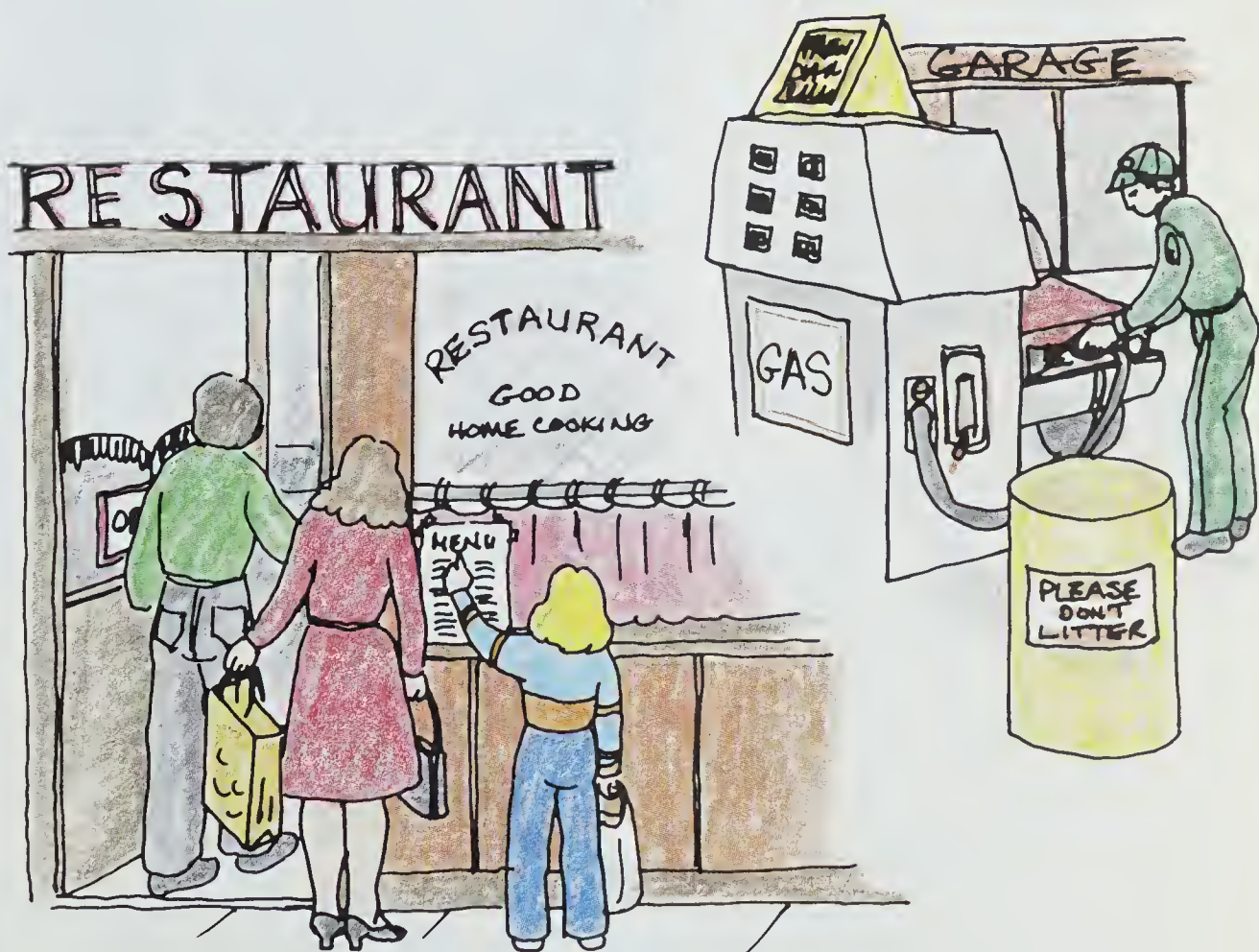
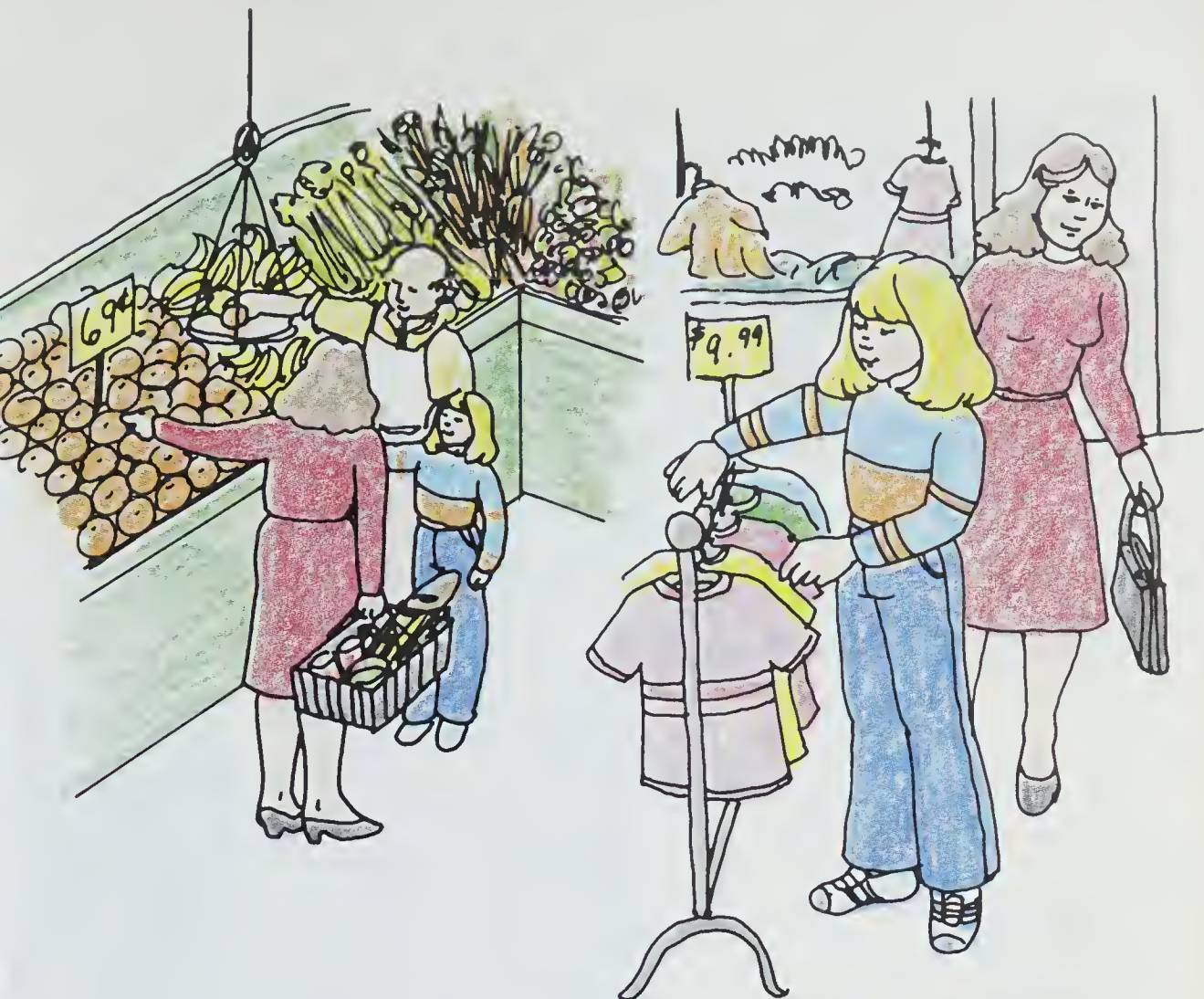
## BUILDINGS

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“Our town has lots of different buildings. There are food stores and clothing stores and furniture stores. We also have a hardware store, a gas station, and a garage. We have three places to eat in town. Sometimes, on Sundays, my family goes out for lunch.”

What kinds of buildings does your neighbourhood have?







## FUN

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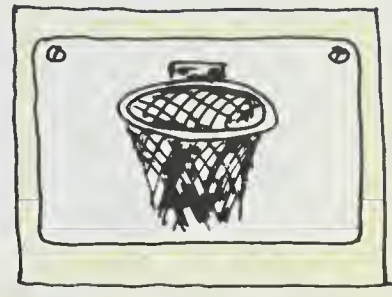
“We have fun in our town. We can go to the movies. We can swim in the summer and skate in the winter. There are lots of things to do at the community centre, too.”

Where do you have fun in your neighbourhood?





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## WORK

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“There are many places to work in our town. We have stores, restaurants, banks, and office buildings. We even have a factory that cans fish. It’s out near the edge of town. I know almost all the people who work in our town.”

Where do people work in your neighbourhood?  
What do they do?







## HELPERS

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“We have helpers in our town. There’s a volunteer fire department, a health clinic, and a hospital. For special problems, we go to the city hospital. We pick up our mail at the post office. The police have an office here, too. Garbage collectors pick up our garbage twice a week.”

Who are the most important helpers in your neighbourhood? Why are they important?







## TRAVEL

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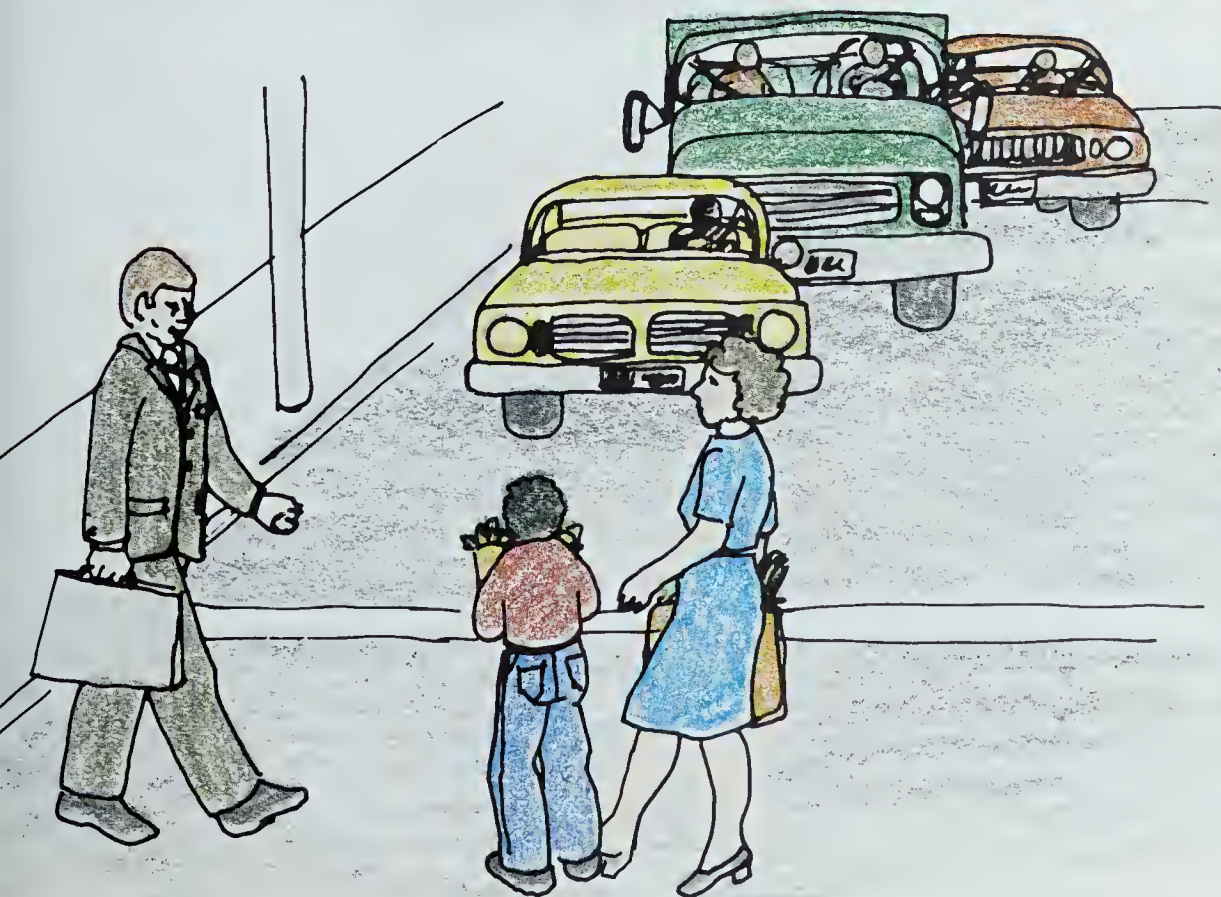
“We don’t have any subways or busses in town. Most people walk from one place to another. Sometimes, they drive their cars and trucks.

“The train stops in our town. So does the bus. We don’t have an airport. But lots of fishing boats go in and out of our harbour. One of my friends comes by ferry to visit me every summer. She lives in a different town. Her town is an outport on an island.”

How do you travel around in your neighbourhood? How do people, things, and ideas travel into and out of your neighbourhood?









“This is my school. I can walk to school. Sometimes, I ride my bike. Some of my friends come to school by boat or on the school bus.”

How do children get to school in your neighbourhood?









## RULES

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“Our town has rules to protect us and keep us safe. There are rules for our streets. Cars and people should stop at stop signs. We all have to know the proper signals to ride our bikes. We have to ride on the proper side of the street, too.”

Why are rules important to a neighbourhood?



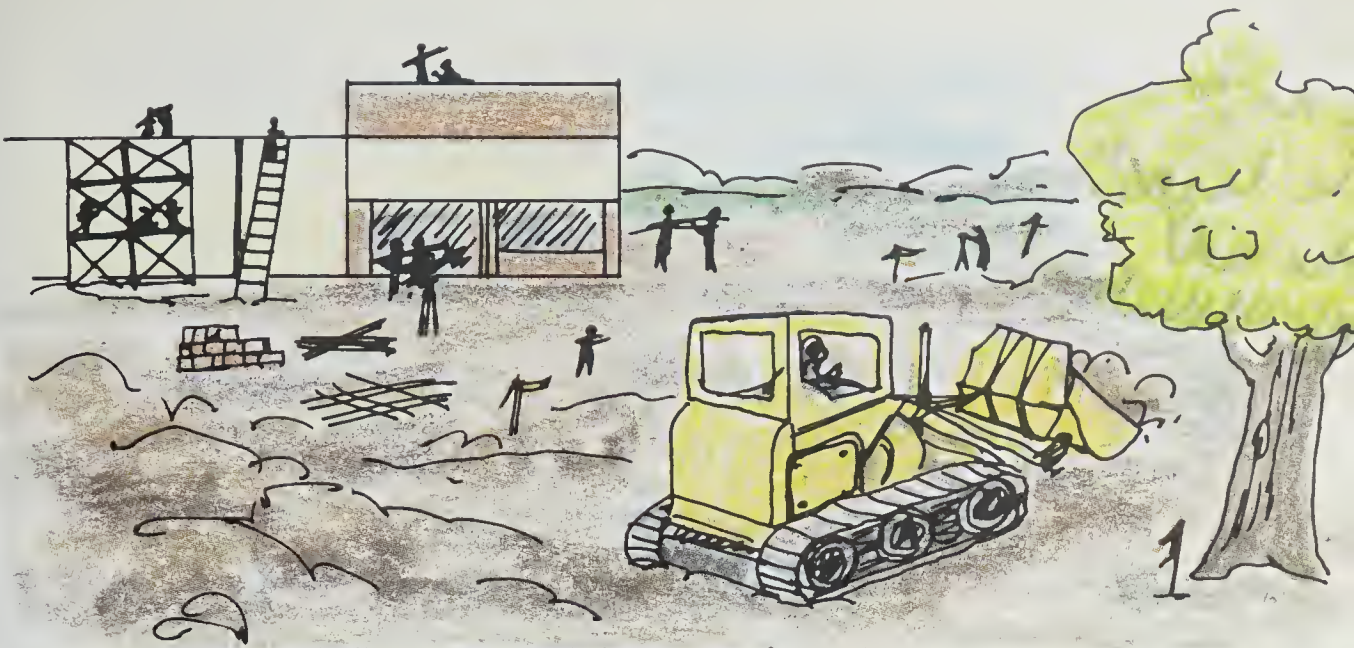


## CHANGE/HISTORY

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“Our town changes. My friends and I used to play in the streets. But our parents wanted a safe place for us to play. So the town council paid a builder to make a safe playground for us.”

How is your neighbourhood changing?

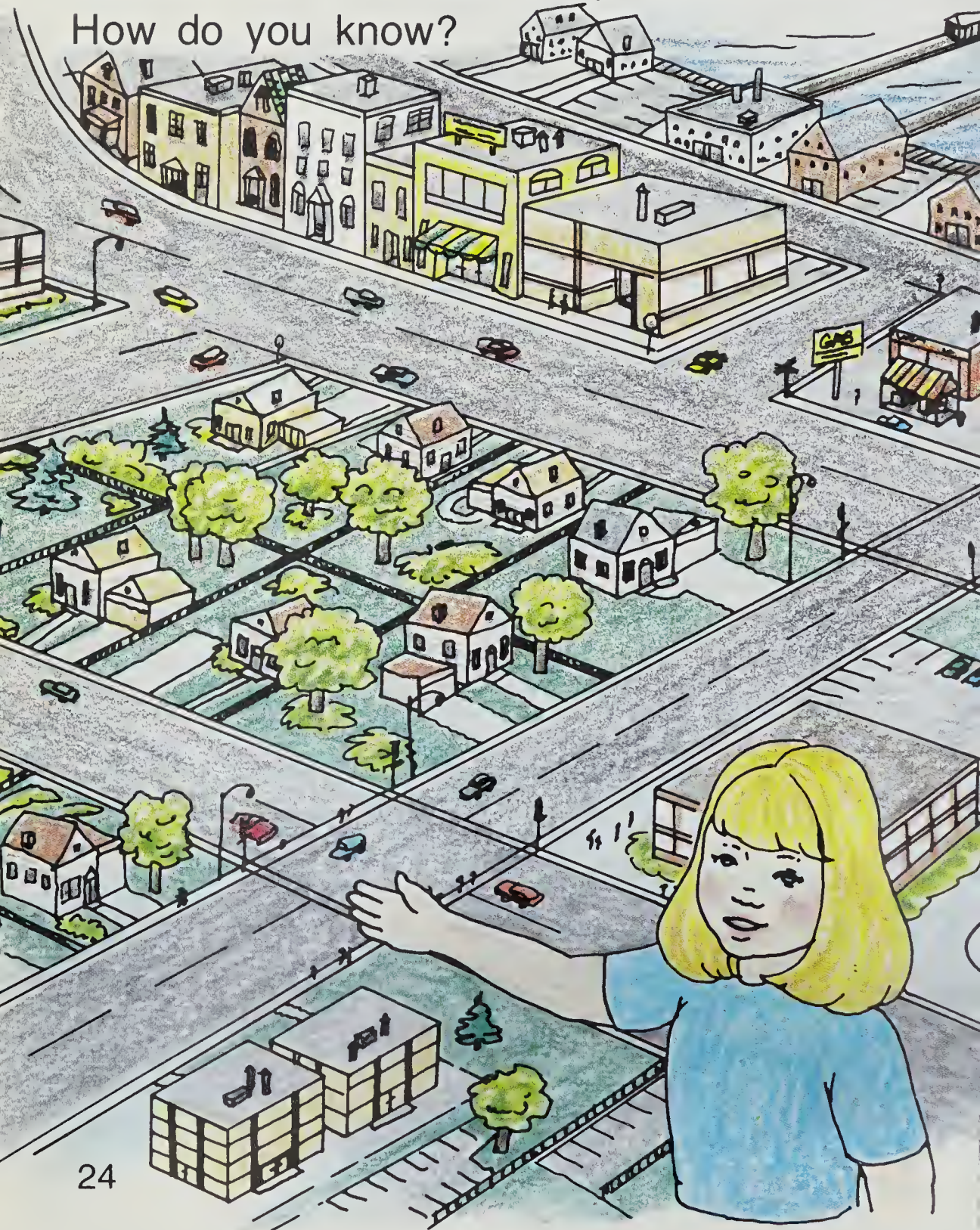




“Now you know a little about my neighbourhood and my town.”

What would you like most about living in a town neighbourhood like this one? What would you like least? Why?

Do you live in a town neighbourhood?  
How do you know?









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